



IPW

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER				Docket No. 0505-1209P	
Application No. 10/609,413-Conf. #9456		Filing Date July 1, 2003		Examiner R. H. Bonck	
Art Unit 3681					
Applicant(s): Takashi ISHIZAKA et al.					
Invention: CENTRIFUGAL CLUTCH					
<b>MS Amendment</b> Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
Total Claims	17	- 20 =		x	
Independent Claims	2	- 3 =		x	
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					
Other fee (please specify): Information Disclosure Statement					
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:</b>					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Large Entity <span style="margin-left: 200px;"><input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity</span>					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for this amendment.					
<input type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.					
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.					
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. <u>02-2448</u> as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Credit any overpayment.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.					
 James M. Slattery Attorney Reg. No.: 28,380				Dated: <u>August 24, 2005</u>	
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div><p>BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH &amp; BIRCH, LLP 8110 Gatehouse Rd Suite 100 East P.O. Box 747 Falls Church, Virginia 22040-0747 (703) 205-8000</p></div><div style="text-align: right;"><p>#50,786</p></div></div>					



PATENT  
0505-1209P

IN THE U. S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Takashi ISHIAKA et al. Conf: 9456  
Serial No.: 10/609,413 Art Unit: 3681  
Filed: July 1, 2003 Examiner: Rodney H. Bonck  
For: CENTRIFUGAL CLUTCH

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R.1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**August 24, 2005**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 24, 2005 (Paper No. 06232005), the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application:

This Paper includes Amendments to the Specification, Claim Set As Amended, and Remarks.